









Chov. Vea, struck up the Jubilee March, the fine spirit-stirring strains of which were universally admitted. A flotilla of Japanese boats moored in the river than a moment seemed to send off numbers of day rockets which on exploding released various strange figures in paper, a display of pyrotechnic which was greatly admired. The Japanese, indeed, entered into the spirit of the Jubilee with great enthusiasm, and were busy erecting air-pieces for the fireworks on the Bund all the morning, the men engaged in the work wearing a very distinctive uniform of a bright red jacket and similarly coloured skullcap.

The Procession of the Chinese Guild ended in a fiasco, and very nearly in a fight with the Police, because the Cantonese wanted to go further down Broadway than the prescribed route, and after marching from the Customs Club to Hongkee Cree Bridge and back to the Seward Road, they dispersed in different directions carrying their paraphernalia with them, to the great disappointment of many people who assembled at various points to view the procession.

**T**HE Paris correspondent of the *Times* may be credited with one of the most striking pieces of news concerning the Franco-Russian festivities. According to his reports, as soon as the Russian sailors—officers and men alike—were allowed their way out a large number of them came on shore with a large supply of champagne. "The champagne is—to the bookseller's." And there they are in a stock of literature prohibited in Russia which the Toulon bookseller had specially procured from Geneva. The literature consisted of Russian translations of well-known modern treatises on Sociology, Democracy, Political Economy, and Socialism.

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November 22nd. — AT 4 P.M.									
(Lat. ..)	Longitude.	Temperature.	Humidity.	Direction.	Wind.	Force.	Weather.	Bar.	State.
W'ostock.	30.05	29	—	SE	1	2	—	—	—
Tokio .....	35.00	—	—	SE	7	2	—	—	—
Nagasaki.	36.10	—	—	SW	3	3	—	—	—
Shanghai.	31.32	54	40	NE	3	—	—	—	—
Foochow ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amoy .....	24	71	—	SE	2	—	—	—	—
Amoy .....	31.07	76	—	SE	2	—	—	—	—
Swatow .....	30.19	72	—	E	4	—	—	—	—
Canton .....	30.09	79	—	E	4	—	—	—	—
Hongkong.	30.06	69	70	E	3	—	—	—	—
Vict. Peak.	—	—	—	NE	1	1	—	—	—
Gap Rock ..	30.09	—	—	NE	1	1	—	—	—
Macao .....	30.09	75	69	SE	1	1	—	—	—
Hakow .....	30.03	73	—	NE	4	—	—	—	—
Haiphong.	30.00	10	69	—	—	—	—	—	—
Daibong .....	29.80	81	87	NE	1	1	—	—	—
Manila .....	28.78	76	99	NE	7	7	—	—	—
U.S. James ..	27.90	—	—	NE	7	7	—	—	—

	<b>November 23rd., at 10 A.M.</b>	
Wlostock	29 81	o 65 w 1 b
Souho.....		nagami
Taligahia..	30 48	w 53 n 3 c
Focchow....		
Amyo.....	30 24	o3 89 sng 2 b
Asping.....	30 27	n 2 o
Ganton.....	30 23	n 12 n 2 c
Hongkong...	30 22	o3 42 sng 4 b
Peking.....		
Gap Rock...		
Macao.....	30 24	70 54 n 2 b
Bethow.....		
Lajung.....	30 70	60 70 e 4 e
Bolinear....	30 85	77 91 es 1 o
Manila.....		
C.S.James...	29 98	ne 5 b
<b>On the 23rd at 10.30 : Barometer rising. Gradients steady S.W. E.</b>		
<b>Sea rather rough. Weather fine.</b>		
<b>P. G. F. Gordon, First Assistant Hongkong Observatory, N.Y. 2-71.</b>		

1. **BAROMETER**, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit, and to the level of the sea, 30.06, and hundredths.

2. **TEMPERATURE**, in the shade, 30.22 Fahrenheit.

3. **HUMIDITY**, in percentage of saturated humidity of air saturated with moisture, 66.

4. **DIRECTION OF WIND**, to two points.

5. **FORCE OF WIND**, according to scale.

6. **STATE OF WEATHER**, h. blue sky, hatched clouds, d. drizzling rain, f. fog, g. h. hail, i. lightning, o. overcast, p. passing a squally, r. rain, s. snow, t. thunder, w. dew, x. none.

**RAINF.** in inches, tenths and hundredths.

**HONGKONG REGISTER.**

	Previous day/night	On date at 9 a.m.	On date at 3 p.m.
Barometer ...	30.06	30.22	
Temperature ...	63	66	
Humidity ...	70	42	
Direction of Wind ...	E	ENE	
Force ...	3	4	
Weather ...	b	b	
Rain ...	—	—	

Lowest open air temperature on the 22nd. Highest open air temperature on the 22nd.

F. G. E.  
First Assistant.

Hongkong Observatory, Nov. 23,

**Temperature.**

HONGKONG, November 23, 1861.  
(Taken at Meera Falmers & Co.  
Premises, Queen's Road.)

BAROMETER	9 A.M.	30.06
Do.	1 P.M.	30.06
Do.	4 P.M.	30.06
TEMPERATURE	9 A.M.	63
Do.	1 P.M.	68
Do.	4 P.M.	68
Do.	(Wet bulb) 9 A.M.	62
Do.	1 P.M.	67
Do.	4 P.M.	68
Do.	MINIMUM	65
Do.	MAXIMUM	68



